

FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATED MAY 8

Last Thursday, May 8, the corps of cadets paid homage to the Founder of Augusta Military Academy Prof. Charles S. Roller. The entire cadet corps marched to the Old Stone Church cemetery where special services were held. Major J. C. McCue, Jr., a cousin of the founder, paid tribute to Prof. Roller in a memorial address. A firing squad fired three volleys over his grave. This was followed by Taps. The remainder of the day was given over to relaxation and sports and study.

ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM PRESENTED

Mother's Day was celebrated Sunday evening, May 11 in the Big Room where a special program was presented to the Cadet Corps, Faculty and assembled friends of the school.

Col. Curry Carter, an alumnus of Augusta, was the principal speaker. He chose for his subject: "Playing Fair with Mother". A trombone solo by Cadet Jimmy Ferguson and two violin solos by Major Martin G. Manch, (accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Manch) featured the musical portion of the program.

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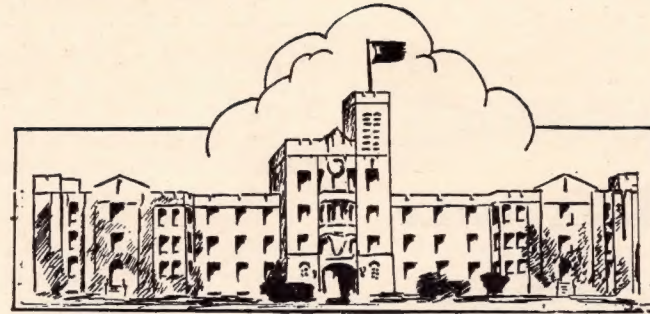
This year as in previous years a limited number of bound copies of the year's Bayonet will be available to those interested. This bound copy contains all of the issues published this year and will have an attractive cover. If you are interested in purchasing such an edition, please contact Bill Aldrich in 304.

RECALL TO BE DISTRIBUTED MAY 30

Unless plans are otherwise changed the 1947 Recall will be distributed to those who have purchased this annual. There is still a very limited number of leather bound copies available. Previews of the book reveal many novel and interesting ideas which have been incorporated in this year's annual which will make it one of the best in the long history of this publication.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BUSTER MOORE

The Bayonet Staff has received the news that our former baseball star—Buster (K. D.) Moore, Lexington, Va., and Mrs. Moore have been blessed with the arrival of a baby boy, Kenneth DeWitt Moore, Jr. on April 17. His weight was nine pounds eight oz. To Mr. and Mrs. Moore, we extend our heartiest congratulations.



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Miss Barbara Woolridge Chosen "Pin-Up" Queen For 1947 In History Making Event Held In Gym



MISS BARBARA WOOLDRIDGE

Friday evening, May 9, a history-making event in the social annals of Augusta Military Academy, took place in the Memorial Gymnasium when our principal, Col. Charles S. Roller, Jr., placed the crown upon the head of Miss Barbara Woolridge, Lynchburg, Va. This event was the result of one of the most unique and satisfying ways of selecting the Pin-Up Queen for this year.

Each company selected one cadet as their representative and he with his captain, took their places in the gauntlet of the receiving line

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G. I. IS OVER

Now that we have passed through the ordeal of G. I. for another year, we feel that we have put forth our best efforts to obtain Honor School Rating for another year. The Bayonet would like to congratulate the school and especially the Military Department for the fine work and cooperation that was exhibited during the preparation for and the G. I. itself. We feel very proud when we state that we believe we have the finest group of tactical officers any school could boast of. They are excellently qualified for the position they hold and we sincerely trust that the crops lived up to their expectations. To them first and then to the corps goes the credit of standing that we made during the recent inspection. The sincere thanks of the entire corps and school to Col. R. H. Garity and his able staff of assistants.

FINAL BALL

The leaders of the Final Ball have decided who they will take in the figure. Boots Jester tells me that he is bringing Miss Jean Hawkins, of Richmond, a student of Mary Washington College. Curtis Lowe has invited Jeri McWilliams of Jacksonville, Fla. and J. B. Simmons is bringing Dolores Shives of Denbigh, Va. George Powel, head of the Decoration Committee, is coming with Jean Rales of Norfolk.

As for other departments, they are not coming along so well. We don't want to seem persistent but the committee is not being backed up. For the first few weeks after the cards were sent home to your parents, people were paying up quickly. Lately, however, it has bogged down with the goal not yet in sight.

As for the bids, they are being sent out all during this month. The deadline on them will be here before you know it. At the moment it seems as if most of us don't care much for girls judging by the huge number of bids there are in the book, Seventy-four in all.

Capt. Roller, who is directing the figure, and Cadet Jester have told us that anyone not reporting for figure practice when it starts will not be allowed to enter it. No trifling at the practice will be allowed.

If you haven't paid up or sent out your bid for this dance, we advise you to get hot on the mails and do both soon. Your backing is an absolute necessity.

NOT MUCH TIME IS LEFT

It is almost unbelievable that school year is about to come to an end. In just two weeks we shall be dancing to the final affair of the social season. We have but a few schooldays left. We urge you one and all to concentrate all of your efforts in all the time available towards making the best of the opportunities to close the year with an outstanding grade in our final exams. Just a little more effort and you will make yourself proud and your parents happy. Work and work hard on your studies.

QUADRANGLE QUIRPS

There seems to be a big change in 310—Fretz

A.M.A. has just uncovered a new Casanove—Mike Hrisis

August is bursting with talent. Kuniansky and Pandazides have just composed a song that is bound to be a hit.

What is the name of the little black girl Shappee escorted around Winchester?

Captain Searl needs a little more strength before demonstrating "Physical Development" to Millard.

Have you noticed the shortage of food in the messhall??

Red Harris and Tom Moon have quit their two week liquid diet.

The question of the week . . . Who is to be Fouracre's date at the Pin Up Queen Dance?

Johnny Larus has added a new flame to his list. Yeh, Sally Opie.

Here is a corny one. She was only a quarryman's daughter, but she took a lot for granite.

All the five year olds in the fourth stoop tower have new toys . . . water pistols.

Stringfellow, how were you planning on going to the Golden Cup Race?

Burton should stay awake when he writes his one and only.

Oyler has lost weight since he is out for golf. He only weighs 206 pounds now.

What was Lt. Dawson buying in the Army and Navy Store? "Buy German S. S. Knives."

Lacy deserves a lot of credit. He looked after his little sister the whole afternoon in Winchester.

Have you heard the latest explanation of D.D.T.?? Dare Devil Dawson.

There is a new team now. West and Daniels are co-captains. Oh . . . the game? B. O. sham-battles.

She's a Queen at S.M.A. but she's only a "Lady in waiting" at A.M.A.

Oh . . . Rhea, and on your birthday too.

"Nut" Chesson has three blisters on his hand from beating the bass drum.

Babe Pearson can get a date with anybody. Just ask him.

A great friendship will soon be broken, Odenwalder and Pandazides.

She wasn't a decorators' daughter, but she surely had a front.

Why is the floor under Major Hoover's bed so scratched. What say 310?

Why are you mad at Stuart Hall, Walters? Could it be a certain dance on April 19?

Who is that up and coming golfer in No. 1. What say Freddy?

Crispen says he likes Augusta so much he is coming back two more years.

The question of the week. How did oHward get so much penalty?

Who is the character that we call Brush Top?

Why does Major Manch have so much trouble marching with the band?

Callahan went in the shadows with a girl and came out with Hrisis.

What's up Mike??

Mary Baldwin; Walter's last stand. What happen to Joan Butler, Williams H. G.??

Who said that Rhea could manage H. Q.'s company softball team. I didn't.

A.M.A. HIT PARADE

"All by myself"—Cadets who don't attend A.M.A. dances.

"Last night on the back porch"—Dreams of the past furlough.

"I think you're wonderful"—Diplomas.

"And then it's heaven"—After graduation.

"Easy Street"—To graduation.

"This Is My Shining Hour"—12 a. m. June 4, 1947.

Sgt. Michaels—"Where is the balance of your rifle?"

Frear—"This all they gave me."

Sgt. Michaels—"You remind me of lot of General Grant,"

Hope—"Why sir?"

Sgt. Michaels—"Because he didn't shave either?"

Presenting . . .

PRESENTINGS DAVE DUCEY

Dave has been here for three years and has grown up here to become one of the finest boys that Augusta has turned out. Whether it is in athletics or academy's Ducey can do it. Dave started playing prep football here four years ago when he was so small you could hardly see him and developed in to the triple threat back which he is today. Last year he was on the all-state team and also was awarded the gold football, the highest award a football player can get. After football is over, Dave turns to fencing where he is equally outstanding, but when spring rolls around he doesn't do much. He only runs track, plays La Crosse, tennis, and in his spare time he practices football. This lad from Sewickley, Pa., doesn't stop at just varisty sports he takes a very active part in interamural boxing, swimming, wrestling, and basketball. Next year Dave leaves us to go to Georgia where we are sure he will do equally as well.

JOHNNY WARFIELD

Johnny's first year here he was an active member of T. S. P. A., a very active organization. Last year he was one of the outstanding N. C. O.'s in "A" Co and this year he is doing the same fine job as first sgt. in "B" Co. Johnny was the manager of our football team and fencing team for which he deserves a lot more credit than can be given him. Also he is Business manager of the **Bayonet** and **Recall**, which keeps him very busy. This year is his last here and he has the honor of being appointed to Navy Academy where he will do a swell job.

"CORN" CORNELIUS

One of the swellest boys that ever came to this school is 'Corny', you will have to look a long way before you will find a better person. When he plays, he plays hard, when he works, he works hard; that's Corny. He has been voted the biggest trifier, but that is because of his sense of humor, which is rare in this school. Gifter more than average ability he can set his goal at any high point that he wishes and he is sure to attain it. A friend once and always; a cadet to be trusted, and a better all around fellow just can't be found.

Hey Shappee, you better get another pair of glasses before you leave A.M.A. again.

LIST OF GRADUATION CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED

Recently Major H. D. Deane announced the two lists of candidates for graduation as approved of by the Academic Board and sanctioned by Col. Charles S. Roller, Jr.

The list of names carries with it the condition that all subjects now being taken must be passed.

CANDIDATES FOR A. M. A. DIPLOMA: Alberti, Bangsberg, Barber, Bowie, Bryant CT, Bryant W, Burton, Burton, Campbell, Callahan, Childs, Conley S, Cooke, Cornelius, Crowgey, Cuervo OD, Davidson, Diamond, Ducey, Duncan, Dutton, Eddy, Finn, Field, Freshman, Greenberg MH, Grove, Harrell, Harbison, Heppner, Herring, Hope, Howard, Houff Humphreys J., Huntsberry, Jackson G, Jessepper, Levinson, Lohman, Loew, ter, Johnson LW, Kuninasky, Layng, Lepper, Levinson, Lohman, Loew, Mackey, Marks, Martin L, May, Meyer Michaels, Milstead, Mohler, Neff, Oyl-er, Pappas J. Reynolds, Rhea, Rhodes, Salzman, Simmons, Smith BM, Sperm, Suarez, Sumner, Tangorra, Tokar, Warfield, Welch MC, Winn, Winston, Woodie.

High School Certificates: Beazlie, Baer, Chessom, Deane C, Fontaine, Gayle, Garber, Jones WF, Litchfield D, Litchfield R, Larus, Moon, Muncey, Powell, G., Reed H., Smith, M.C., Talbot, Thornton, Tyrrell, Van Kirk.

OFFICERS DANCE HELD

On the Saturday night after the Pin-up dance the cadet officers held a dance only for themselves and those cadets that had dates here on the post. It was held at the White Swan from 9:30 to 12:00. Music was provided by the P. A. system. Refreshments were served by a small group of new cadets. This was by far the best dance they have had yet. The tables were arranged around the floor leaving the center of the floor for dancing. Candle light gave the room a warm friendly light that made everybody everybody else's friend. The main guest of the dance was the Pin-up queen herself. When the time to depart came it was hard to get everyone to leave the dance floor and return to barracks. This dance was one of the crowning points of a perfect weekend.

"PIN-UP" QUEEN

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just inside the main door of the gym. As soon as they had selected their candidate they handed their selection to Major Hoover, adviser to cadet publications. After seven young ladies had been chosen. Major Hoover announced over the microphone that these seven candidates would be escorted by members of the Junior Department through the hall. At the conclusion of this event, all assembled to the diadem where Col. Roller introduced each young lady to the assembled audience. Then the voting began. The seven young ladies chosen to be candidates for this affair were Miss Sue Mathews and Miss Terry White from Stuart Hall; Miss Martha Hobson and Miss Nancy Stuart from Mary Baldwin College; Miss Ann Fotinos, Norfolk, Va., Miss Hazel Wilkens, Richmond, Va., and Miss Barbara Wooldridge, Lynchburg, Va.

At the conclusion of the first ballot it was found that Miss Stuart and Miss Wooldridge were leading for the honor of being Queen. A second ballot placed Miss Woodridge in first place.

Then the grand procession took place with the Queen and her princesses bring escorted to the throne by their cadet escorts where the coronation took place.

Music for the affair was furnished from Harrisonburg, Va.

The decorating committee deserve the highest of praise for their part in this affair. Without their efforts the affair could not have been the success it was. These cadets compose the decorating committee: Geo. Powell, chairman assisted by Morris, St. Clair, Gayle, Hitchens, Duros, Cooke, Trivision, Nashu, Roberts, Vail C., Whottington Twyman, Jester, Shappee, Jacobson, M. Kirby, Bryant, W.

The novel way of selecting our 1947 Queen pleased the entire corps and it is expected that it will be continued future years. Major Hoover and the Bayonet Staff and the Cotillion Club headed by Cadet Capt. Simmons are to be congratulated for their part in this the most successful of the year's dances.

AUGUSTA "9" BOWS BEFORE SHENANDOAH

FORT DEFIANCE, May 9—A. M. A.'s infield defense fell apart at the seams in the ninth inning here today and Shenandoah College scored three unearned runs from Augusta, 4-3.

Going into the ninth, Augusta Pitcher Luke Sykes apparently had his game won by a score of 3-1. Bowers led off the ninth with a single to left, and after Kita fied out, Combatente hit a grounder to Winecoff at third, but First Baseman Eddy dropped the throw for an error, putting two runners on. Then the next hitter grounded to Bowie at short, who, in trying for a force play at third, hit Bowers in the back with the ball, the ball bounding away and Bowers scoring. With the infield playing in close, Tyson then hit a pop fly back of second that Centerfielder Tyrrell got his glove on after a hard run, but could not hold, and the tying run scored. Geil then singled in the winning marker.

Augusta counted twice in the first when Eddy walked, stole second, and scored on the first of Bowie's three singles. Tutwiler sacrificed Bowie to second, and he scored on Tyrrell's single. Augusta's other run came in the fifth when Eddy stole home.

Shenandoah tallied their only other run in the fourth on Kersh's double and two outfield flies.

It was a tough game for Sykes to lose. He had pitched beautifully up until the ninth, and should not have been scored upon at all. He fanned seven men.

Augusta lost another scoring chance in the sixth when Winecoff, who had singled, failed to touch third on Reid's double to let, and was called out after he had crossed the plate.

Augusta						
	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Eddy, 1b	2	2	0	8	0	1
Bowie, ss	5	1	3	2	2	2
Tutwiler, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Inskeep, 2b	5	0	0	2	2	0
Tyrrell, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Fontaine, rf	4	0	1	2	1	0
Winecoff, 3b	4	0	2	0	4	0
Reed, c	2	0	1	8	1	0
Sykes, p	4	0	1	0	2	0

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Runs batted in—Geil, Bowers, Tyson, Bowie, Terrell. Two-base hits—Kersh. Reed. Sacrifices—Tutwiler, Reed, Taylor. Stolen bases—Eddy 3, Winecoff 3, Reed 2, Bowie, Detamore, 2, Bowers, Geil, Kersh. Left on bases—Shenandoah 9, Augusta 10. Struck out—by Taylor 2, Tyson 3, Sykes 7. Bases on balls—off Taylor 1, Tyson 2, Sykes 2.

HARGRAVE SWAMPS AMA NETMEN

In the last tennis meet which was with Hargrave M. A. our netsters met another defeat at their hands by the score of 9-0.

Results: Singles—

Clements lost to Barbee 1-6, 2-6.

Burton lost to Sours 1-6, 2-6.

Sanders lost to Douglas 1-6, 1-6.

Walters lost to Seth 1-6, 2-6.

Lepper lost to Conley 6-1, 3-6, 3-6.

Sellers lost to Wood 4-6, 3-6.

Doubles:

Clements and Burton lost to Barbee and Sours 1-6, 2-6.

Walters and Lepper lost to Douglas and Conley 2-6, 7-5.

Sellers and Sanders lost to Wood and Seth 3-6, 3-6.

LACROSSMEN SHOW DECIDED IMPROVEMENT IN SECOND ENCOUNTER

In the second lacrosse game of the current season the Blue and White Ham and Eggers lost the game to a superior opponent by the score of 6-1 but they exhibited much better team work over their previous meeting.

The lone tally for AMA was made by Adelberg shortly after our opponents had scored their first goal. He dodged by the entire opponent team to make the lone score. This tie score remained the same until late in the second period when our defense weakened and we let another goal get by us.

Our goalie Dick Horowitz played up a bangup game by stopping many a shot. Jordan showed up well on the defense. On the attack Brooke and Cowell showed improved work with Adelberg.

Lineup for AMA: Horowitz, Childs, Rhodes, Jordan, May, Adelberg, Young Lamon, Cowell, Brooke. Subs: Duros, Henry L, Michaels Cripsen Powell, Stowe Gregory, Warne, Ducey.

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

This week the Bayonet Staff has chosen an athlete out of the five sports engaged in to be named the "athlete of the week". We base our decision on how hard these boys work at their sport, what they have done to better it and, of course how good they are.

BASEBALL: We have chosen "Jiggs" Tyrrell as the most outstanding baseball player. This is Jiggs' second year at this sport at AMA and during all that time he has played bang-up ball in the field and at the plate. His specialty is knocking out homeruns when they are needed and rubbing out opponents' hits so they do not count. His work is an inspiration

to both player and spectator.

TENNIS: Lepper has been chosen as the "spark" of this sport. Lew was the only AMA cadet to turn in a winning set in the recent encounter with Hargrave. He has been one of the top players all season. He has worked hard to obtain this high rank and is worthy of this honor. Keep up your good work Lew.

LACROSSE: Jackie Lamon receives our laurels this week, especially for his work in the second game of the season when he unselfishly played the game for all it was worth and enabled Joe Adleberg to score our only goal in the last two games. Of course Jackie hails from the Lacrosse center (Maryland to you who are uninitiated in this latest sport at AMA). As he has three more years at Augusta we expect to be hearing great things from him.

GOLF: To Larry Salzman for his help in AMA's winning 10 1-2 points against the strong Greenbrier team. This is Larry's second year at this sport for AMA and each match shows decided improvement for this boy. His steady putting and excellent drives always make him a hard man to beat.

FENCING: To Jackie Field goes this honor for being the only blue and white man to score five points against his opponent without allowing any to be made against him. This renewal of this sport after a two months' lay-off shows that our fencers are still up to par.

GREENBRIER STOPS A.M.A. GOLFMEN

Augusta lost to the green wave golf team from Lewisburg, West Va., by the score of 16½ to 10½. The score indicates that the blue and white team have improved throughout the past few weeks under the able tutelage of Maigor McCue.

Burton and Seibold playing No. 1 and No. 2 man respectively lost nine points to their two excellent opponents. Burton and Seibold played excellent golf but they were outclassed by their more experienced opponents. Steele, R. playing No. 3 took ½ a point while Salzman as No. 4 defeated his man and took all three points. Steele and Salzman also took three points for low ball in the foursome. Wallace No. 5 man took one point from his man and did not lose his match until the 18th hole. Milstead playing No. 6 and final man played excellent golf to take three points for A.M.A.

Wallace and Milstead lost low ball.

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F. M. S. DEFEATS A. M. A. THINCLADS

Coach "Buck" Chapman's thinclads were defeated by Fishburne 65-60 in a very evenly matched track and field meet.

Augusta took all the firsts in the running events, except for 440 yd. run, but earned only four second and third places. Fishburne took three places in the broad jump, discus, and pole vault to give them 27 points, from three events.

Harrison was high point man for Augusta taking two first and a tie for first giving him 14 points; Fouracre and Philhower were both scored ten points apiece.

Summary:

High Hurdles—first, Neff, A.M.A.; second, Schwegmann; third, Stroud; time 18.9.

100 yd. dash—first, Harrison; second, Ingram, F., third, Hubbard, F., time 10.5.

Mile run—first Fouracre A.M.A.; second, Brown, F., third, Gardner, F., time 5 min. 8.6 sec.

440 yd. run—first Asburn, F., second, Farley, A. M. A.; third, Smith, F., time 55.9.

Low hurdles—first, Di Cello, AMA; second, Hubard, F., third, Neff, AMA; time 14.7.

880 yd. run—first Fouracre A.M.A.; second Harbison, A.M.A.; third, Gilbreth, time 2.18.1.

220 yd. dash—first, Harrison, AMA; second, Ingram, F., third, Winn, A.M.A.; time 24.5.

Shot put—first Philhower A.M.A.; second, Fournet, F., third, Beaton, F., distance 41 ft. 5 1-2 inches.

Javelin—first, Philhower, A. M. A.; second, Reed, J. F., third Doxey; distance 150 ft 10 in.

High jump—Stroud F., second, Harrison third, Smith, Scott and Doxey all tied for third, height 5 ft.

Discus—first, Hubbard, F., second, Reid, F., third, Combs, F., distance 115 ft., 6 1-2 in.

Broad jump—first, Ried, F., second, Stroud, F., third, Hubbard, F., distance 19 ft. 7 in.

Mile relay—first, A.M.A.: Farley, Harbison, Fouracre, Dull. Time 3.48.

AMA BEATEN 12-5 BY FUMA

FORT DEFIANCE, May 7—Augusta Military Academy dropped a 12-5 decision to Fork Union this afternoon on a windy diamond which made fielding difficult.

Lefty Herb Tutwiler was on the

mound for the AMA cadets, and struck out 12 men, allowing 15 hits. His teammates committed nine errors behind him. Seale and Garnett did the hurling chores for Fork Union striking out 11 batters, and allowing six hits.

Fork Union led off the scoring, crossing the plate three times in the third inning, and two in the fourth to score when Tutwiler homered into deep center, and Tyrell followed with a four-bagger into left field. Two other runs were tallied in this inning.

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Box score:

A. M. A.

	AB	R	H
Eddy, 1b	3	0	0
Bowie, ss	4	0	0
Tutwiler, p	3	1	1
Inskeep, 2b	4	0	0
Lorus	2	0	0
Tyrrell, lf	4	1	1
Reed, c	4	2	2
Winecoff, cf	3	1	1
Sykes, 3b	3	0	1
Fontaine, p	2	0	0
Totals	32	5	6

Errors: AMA, 9; FU, 3. Home runs: AMA, 3; FU, 1.

Winning pitcher: Garnett; losing pitcher, Tutwiler.

TUTWILER PITCHES AMA 6-0 WIN

Fort Defiance, May 17—Lefty Hertbert Tutwiler barely missed a no-hit game here today when he pitched A. M. A. to a one-hit 6-0 victory over Fishburne.

Tutwiler was in superb form as he helped the Waynesboro cadets helpless throughout the game, fanning eleven, and only a clean single into right by Reed, Fishburne went down in order in six of the nine innings, and only four balls went hit into the Augusta outfield.

Murphy, on the mound for Fishburne, held A.M.A. to eight hits, but they were bunched, and his teammates came up with six errors. Augusta won the game, as it turned out, in the first inning, when both Thomas and Gregory erred on Eddy's bounder to put him on second. Reed singled to center, sending Eddy to third, and stole second. Successive outfield flies by Tutwiler and Inskeep sent Eddy and Reed home.

A single by Reed, an error by McKinney, and Tutwiler's single accounted for Augusta's third run in the third

inning, and their fourth came in the next inning when Winecoff walked, stole second and came all the way around when Catcher Reed's peg went into deep centerfield.

Their last two came in the eighth on singles by Larus, Fontaine and Eddy, a walk to Winecoff, and Gregory's error.

Augusta	R.	H.	E.
Eddy, 1b	1	2	0
Reed, c	2	3	0
Tutwiler, p	0	1	0
Inskeep, 2b	0	0	0
Tyrrell, cf	0	0	0
Larus rf	1	1	0
Bowie, ss	0	0	2
Winecoff, 3b	2	0	0
Fontaine, lf	0	1	0
	6	8	2

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Runs batted in, Eddy, Tutwiler 2, Inskeep, Fontaine. Sacrifices, Eddy, Tyrrell. Stolen bases, Reed 2, Winecoff 3, Eddy. Left on Bases, Fishburne 5, Augusta 9. Struck out, Murphy 4, Tutwiler 11. Bases on balls, Murphy 4, Tutwiler 3. Umpires, Huffman and Shaver. Time 1:56.

AUGUSTA FENCERS DOWN VIRGINIA

The Blue and White fencing team came out of retirement last week and took on the Virginia fencers. The Virginia team has been practising for the past five months and they wanted to know the results of their efforts. All three weapons were fought. In the foil AMA had the following representatives, Jack Field, Dave Lucey and Al Tomlin and Bill Aldrich, all of whom won by the score of 5-0, 5-2, 5-2, 5-3. In the epee Sam Conley, Major Smith, Lloyd Henry and Rus Cleek all won by the score of 3-1, 3-1, 3-2, 3-2. In the sabre Bobby Bowie, Hal Inskeep, Bobby Rhea easily won from their opponents by the scores of 5-2, 5-2, 5-3. This made the record of the 1947 season stand as nine won and two lost.

THIRD LOSS FOR BLUE AND WHITE TEAM

Playing a very ragged game which showed the lack of consistent practice the AMA Lacrosse Ten lost the third game of the season to the nearby university team in an abbreviated game due to shortage of time.

In the initial two periods AMA took time for the lack of practice and by the time the second half was under way we were playing under much improved conditions which was apparent to all those who watched this fast growing game. For the first time

this season the ten worked as a unit and as a result no cadet was outstanding. Naturally our opponents were and still are much more experienced than our squad but nevertheless we gave them a good fight and learned a lot in the meeting.

Lineup for AMA: goal, Horowitz, defense, Childs, Rhodes, Jordan, May, Adelberg; attack, Young, Lamon, Cowell, Brooke. Subs: Duros, Henry L., Michaels, Crispen, Powell, Stowe, Loewy, Gregory Warne.

THE HAUNTED HOUSE

(By Cadet Bear)

I desperately pressed the starter, but to no avail. The car refused to move. Its motor sputtered for a few moments, and then the welcomed sound completely ceased. My last hope was utterly lost. The rain was beating against the roof with unchecked fury. Thunder rolled in the stormy skies. Lightning flashed across the heavens like a lunging lance of flame. The elements were erupting, accompanied by a great onrush of bedlam. The air was warm and moist. Small beads of sweat covered my skin. The heat seemed intolerable. Again I fumbled with the starter, but still there was no response. Night had fallen, and dark, sinister shadows were flitting across the water soaked road.

The storm was growing fiercer by each succeeding moment. My predicament seemed uncertain. I could hear the ocean grinding against the shore, its mounting fury striking the earth in a vigorous assault.

Finally I left my car and proceeded up the muddy road in search of shelter. I had scarcely trudged a hundred feet before I found what I was looking for. Situated high upon a wind swept cliff, stood a huge and haughty mansion; its grim form scarcely visible through the blackness. I turned up the collar of my coat. With the rain rescinding with greater intensity, I remained motionless, gazing ahead. Somehow the house struck me as being strange and desolate. There were no lights shining from within, and it gave one the impression of being totally abandoned. I moved steadily closer to the eerie structure. There was no sign of life. I shivered, the rain was slowly seeping through my clothes. I rushed toward the entrance, and to my surprise, the door was wide open. Black, dingy halls greeted my hasty intrusion. It seemed odd that the door of this massive abode would be left unlatched. Perhaps this visit had been anticipated by some anonymous mortal, or by some weird, un-

earthly creature. Who could tell?

Cautiously I explored each room. Cobwebs cluttered every corner. A stifling musty odor filled the air. The few scanty pieces of furniture were very old and dilapidated. A narrow winding staircase joined the first floor to the second. Most of the windows were shattered, and half of the curtains were hanging from the sides of each. Tired and exhausted, I sank into a nearby cushion. It was not long before my eyes were closed, and I passed into a deep luxurious slumber.

My sleep was suddenly interrupted during the night by the sound of footsteps. I awoke with a start. I gazed about me but there was no one in sight. My frantic stare met the inky darkness and nothing more. I tried to go back to sleep but I could not. Then I heard the footsteps again, footsteps that were ringing in my ears. I continued to look, however and as I did, I saw an unidentified figure blindly groping around the room. The storm was still raging, and in a sudden flash of lightning, I viewed a face so horrible, so distorted that it could have been anything but human! The skin was a deep solid blue. The eyes were glassy and perfectly still. They were eyes that held an extreme note of horror. The face itself was swollen and bloated to nearly twice its original size. That was all I saw, but it was more than enough. I wanted to scream, to cry out for help, but somehow I managed to quench my surging hysteria. I remained silent, waiting and hoping. At last the terrifying mass of flesh departed, disappearing into the darkness of the night.

I remained awake until morning, and was greatly relieved when the enlivening rays of dawn finally emerged. As I prepared to leave the house, I noticed a handful of seaweed drowned in a pool of saltwater, that was gradually being absorbed by the wooden floor. Curious to know of its origin, I picked the seaweed up and wrapped it carefully in a handkerchief.

When I reached my home I consulted an eminent scientist. He examined my discovery with great care, and then stated that its kind was only to be found on the body of a corpse. I was astounded by his revelation. Then it was not a dream! What had happened that night had been real! But who would be foolish enough to believe such a tale? I resolved to dismiss the idea from my mind, but it was like trying to dismiss a miraculous feat. I had to be sure it was a reality. I had to once more explore this mysterious mansion. Gathering my few remnants of courage, I started back.

MEDALS TO BE AWARDED DURING FINALS

Just to remind you that Finals are not far away and that there are quite a lot of medals and prizes to be awarded at Final Exercises on Wednesday, June 4.

Principal's Prizes going (1) to cadet making highest average (2) To the cadet receiving no demerits during the entire year.

Military Prizes: (1) For military excellence during the year; (2) Best drilled cadet in individual competition, (3) Neatest room during year.

Crowie Medal for best student in Spanish.

Ferguson Medal for best student in all subjects.

Reed Medal for best in Marksmanship.

Richey Medal for best student in science.

Clarke Medal for best student in history.

Shook Medal to the best student in military science.

Roller Medal to the best student in Latin.

Maggie Belle Roller Medal awarded to most loyal cadet.

Robinson Medal to be awarded to the best student in Algebra II (to be awarded to member of Lt. Col. W. S. Robinson class 1946-47 session, thereafter to any student in Algebra II).

Officer of Day and Corporal Medals—the Llewellyn Powell Memorial Medal—to the best officer of the day and the best corporal of the guard.

In the event that we have omitted any medals in the above list we shall supplement this article in the final issue of **The Bayonet**.

There is still time to make that Final Exam, the one to count, that may help you win one of these medals.

HONOR GUARD DETAILS*

First Place (tie)

O. D. Jackson, G.

C. G. Reed, H.

O. G. Bryant, W.

O. D. Aldrich.

C. G. Adelberg

O. G. Slusser

O. D. Bratton

C. G. Cooper

O. G. Steele, R.

Second Place

O. D. Pappas, J.

C. G. Henry L.

O. G. McGrew

*There is not too much time left to work toward the OD and CG medals. Why not put forth a little more effort? It may mean a lot.

MAY HONOR ROLL

First place was a tie with Wright EJ and Freshman both making 96.67. The rest in order are: Hill, Wong, Nelson, Callahan, Luttrell, Balbis, Morris, Wright G, Young RF, Pulliam, Greenberg MH, Hantsch, Deal, Kuninasky, Robbins Long, Smith LD, Hodges, Mundin, Pearson AJ, Catalano, Galvan, Evans, Harris S, Ferguson JS, Dutton, Ellman, Jerichow, Hailey, Dean CE, Dickenson, Bangsberg, Hitchens, Whittington, Beamer, Collins JM, Sites, Herring, Johnson LW, Bowers, Stringfellow, Peralta, Lester, Malamut, McGrew, Harris WM, Panossian, Jennings, Davidson, Myers, Pullen, Radman, Sumner, Turner M, Ramsuer, Gonzales, Chamberlin, Cohen, Diamondstein, Jackson, G. Saunders, MT, Day, Warfield, Jacobson M, Sanders, Max T Paxton, Duncan, Oyler, Wilde, Aldrich, St. Clair, Michaels, Bradford CR, Chang A, Click CF, Daen HD, Twyman, Deal, Collins H, Kotz, Kellar, Oliver, Roberts, Bryant W, Cooper CT, Horowitz, Bradford RE, Harrison JE, Rudolph, Folline, Fowler, Madden, Underdown, Patterson.

THE ADVENTURES OF STUBBS PARKER

As Government Inspection was just a few days off, this incident was soon forgotten, and everyone started cleaning, dusting, scraping, painting, etc., etc. Finally the great day arrived and so did the Government Inspectors. Stubbs spent the whole morning dusting and cleaning almost everything in his room. Finally the inspector came into his room and Stubbs snapped stiffly to attention. The inspector generously overlooked this and went on to inspect his locker. The inspector lit a match to see if any light was coming through the windows (Stubbs had put Bon-Ami on them and forgotten to wipe it off). The inspector started climbing up the side of the locker to see if there was any dust on top of it. "Sir, that locker is a little—" Stubbs started, but was interrupted by a loud crash—"loose." Stubbs finished. "Now he tells me," the inspector moaned, climbing out from under the fallen locker. As he dusted himself off, he neglected to remove a towel from his head. Stubbs could not hold back his laughter. "You look like Captain Fontaine after he has taken a turkish bath with that towel around your head," Stubbs exploded, pointing at the inspector and laughing so hard that you could hear his sides split.

Later in the day Stubbs' company was called out on a deense problem. Back into the woods they went, Stubbs, inspector, and all. After all the infor-

mation had been given, Stubbs was assigned a position and told to stay there under all conditions. After lying there for some time, Stubbs figured that they had either forgotten all about him or had gone on back in without him. As it happened there happened to be a beautiful blonde girl in shorts passing by just then. (Gravel Gertie taking her daily dozen.) Stubs did everything he could do to attract her attention, but it was all to no avail. She did not turn around. Stubbs watched her disappear over the hill and then lay back down, disgusted.

Finally Stubs was engaged in his fondest occupation, sleeping. Suddenly someone shook him, and Stubbs, cursing softly, rolled over and looked into the sympathetic eyes of an understanding sheep. "Oh, go 'way," is all that Stubbs said that we can print. As soon as he had dozed off again he felt himself being shaken again and again looked up into sympathetic eyes . . . of the Government Inspector. You can bet that the G. I. man said more than Baaaa. Actually, what he did say was this, "What's on your left?" And Stubbs, feeling very proud that he had been observant, answered "A beautiful blonde." "No, not that, I mean what unit is on your left?" said the inspector. "That's a god question, I'm glad you asked it. I can answer it in two ways, but neither one is right, so I won't answer it at all and let you draw your own conclusions," said the witty Stubs. The inspector tried a new angle, "Where is your first aid station?" Stubbs thought for a minute and answered, "Oh, that's easy; in the Infirmary." At this the inspector lost his head and was last seen disappearing over the top of hill 1488.

After the captain and three lieutenants of his company had finished with him, Stubbs dragged himself back up to his room in the fifth stoop tower, and meditated the fate of Augusta as an Honor Schol.

Stubbs flopped down on his bed to rest after working so hard answering all the questions that the inspector had fired at him. "Boy, am I glad that's over with," he said to himself as he lay back to rest his weary bones. Suddenly the O. D. made a turnout, saying that Stubb's company had an attack problem to do right away. Poor Smith felt as if everyone was working against him, but finally got down to ranks.

They were marched onto Hill 1488 and told to attack. Stubbs was already dead from the walk there and his hand shook so much that everyone thought he was waving at them and waved back.

The inspector chose Stubbs as his orderly and his first command was, "Son, tell your company commander to

put a battery on our left." Stubbs tore off down the hill as fast as his little legs would carry him, and looked everywhere for his captain but couldn't find him. "Oh, well," thought Stubs, "I'll take the battery out of Major's car and take it up there." Stubbs was really proud of himself as he placed the battery in position.

Things were going along pretty well until the inspector told Stubbs to go down and fire artillery overhead. Poor Stubbs, not knowing that he meant simulate firing, looked everywhere but in the sinks for the artillery.

At last he found it, so he at once loaded the old cannon in front of the school and turned it around until it faced Major's house and prepared to fire it. He had forgotten that just that morning he had stuffed his old shoes, underwear, and whatnot in the cannon before inspection. With a loud explosion the gun went off and everything possible flew out of the cannon toward Major's house. Stubbs had more junk piled in that cannon than Osheroff had in his locker.

No one but Stubs can ever imagine how glad he was when the inspection was over, even though he was given pretty stiff penalty for his episode with the cannon. About six and a half thousand hours and twenty million coal.

QUADRANGLE QUIRPS

I wonder why "Peaches" is always singing "Sweet Sue."

What's the matter Peaches did Dolores stand you up? ?

Why hasn't Maust been getting all the mail lately—has Marge broken her hand?

Who is this new fellow they call "Injun Joe"? Huh Welds.

Who was that ravishing brunette you were with in Winchester Geof? (At night)

Question of the week. Who is Neff's favorite brunette??

Raleigh Rhodes is quite a golfer if you don't believe it just ask him.

What has happened between Lowe and Joan? Has her fickle eye got the best of you?

We hear Lepper had fun in Winchester. Kick a field goal.

Why did Paul wash his teeth after getting on the train that night in Winchester? Afraid of p i m p l e s Honkie?

"J" BARRACKS COLUMN.....

In the spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love and baseball. Have you noticed Klein, H. lately?

J Barracks should have a team of their own. They choose sides and play now.

N. B. Cadets: Please do not play ball on the Hill or in front of J Barracks.

Ask Balbis why he wears his cap a certain way while batting.

Hold on to your bones. Fogel is collecting skeletons.

If you heard an extra noise in the barracks recently, that was Fogel when he received a check.

We have a Hobby Club. Nearly every cadet is busy making model airplanes, racers, or destroyers. Collins has a destroyer. Hodge and Lancaster have fine airplane models. Pullen, too. Ferguson DID have one. Deal is interested in auto racer models. Tommy Hailey and Lewis Mundin have different ones. Right now, the boys are looking for a good testing place. Do they make a mess? Oh, yes! But it is clean dirt. If you hear such expressions as: "Who has my wheels," "Where are my wings," "Isn't that a good paint job on my body," you'll know it is only hobby talk.

"Buganeen" Robbins goes to the Fort every day. 'Fess up, boy, is it ice cream or —?

What Junior went to the Armory

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to get a new pair of cross guns?

The seventh grade has organized a "Pan-American Club." Ramsauer—President, Pulliam — Vice-President, Coulter—Secretary, Beamer — Treasurer. The first club meeting was held Tuesday evening in the library. Lt. Arnaldo had slides shown to illustrate Spanish word and phrase meanings. The cadets are learning a Spanish word or phrase each day.

The sixth and seventh grades had an Easter Egg hunt at the Willow Spout. Klein H. found the prize egg.

(Heard Around the Barracks)

Beamer—

Fuzzy Wuzzy was a bear
Fuzzy Wuzzy had no hair
Fuzzy Wuzzy wasn't fuzzy
Wuzzy?

Day—

What time is it when the clock

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strikes thirteen? Time to get the clock fixed.

Luttrell—

If there is a hole 4 feet deep, 4 feet wide, and 4 feet long, how much dirt is in it? None, you dope.

Ferguson—

Why did the cadet take hay to bed with him? To feed his nightmare.

Pullen—

"What does I. L. U. mean?"

Catalino—

"My girl always puts S.W.A.K. on my letters."

Oliver—

"Anybody know what D.Y.L.M. means?"

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